Integrated System of Medicine

253. SHRI MAHENDRA PRASAD:
SHRI MURLIDHAR CHANDRAKANT BHANDARE:

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether he, while inaugurating a meeting of the Medical Practitioners of Indian Medicines held at New Delhi on September 2, 1986, called for evolving an integrated system of medicine involving the different systems of medicines prevalent in India: and

(b) if so, what steps are being taken for evolving such an integrated medicare?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE): (a) and (b) The harmonious coexistence of the Indian Systems of Medicine and Homoeopathy alongwith the modern system of medicine, all contributing their better points towards speedy realisation of Health for All by 2000 A.D., was stressed by Health Minister in this meeting. Their coexistence and blending, where required will have to be achieved with the active cooperation of the practitioners of the different systems of medicine in the larger interests of the country over a period of time.

Review of working of International Airport in the country

254. SHRI YALLA SESI BHUSHANA RAO:
PROF. C. LAKSHMANNA:

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether a review of the working of the four international airports in the country *viz.*, Delhi, Bombay, Madras and Calcutta has been made for the first six months of the current financial year;

(b) whether there has been any improvement in the handling of passengers and cargo as compared to the corresponding period of the last year; and

(c) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) A number of new facilities like computerised flight information system, self-help baggage trolley system, facilitation counters for assistance to passengers, faster baggage clearance procedure, pre-paid taxi system, free porterage for disabled, sick, aged etc. have been introduced at international airports. At Delhi, mechanised cargo handling system has been introduced for efficient handling of cargo. The systems and procedures for Cargo operations have also been simplified.

Harmful Effects of Aspirin

255. SHRI YALLA SESI BHUSHANA RAO:
DR. G. VIJAYA MOHAN REDDY:
SHRI B. SATYANARAYAN REDDY:

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have made any inquiry into the harmful effects of Aspirin: especially on children: and

(b) if so, what are the details of the findings thereof and the action taken by Government to ban it or restrict its use in the country?